

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Canceled).
2. (Currently Amended) The method according to claim [[1]] 10, wherein the information includes an identifier of the second database to be synchronized.
3. (Currently Amended) The method according to claim [[1]] 10, wherein the information includes a synchronization protocol to be used between the first and second data processing systems.
4. (Currently Amended) The method according to claim [[1]] 10, wherein the information includes an identifier of the first database.
5. (Canceled).
6. (Currently Amended) The method according to claim [[1]] 10, wherein the application is informed of a synchronization result between the first and second databases.

7. (Currently Amended) The method according to claim [[1]] 10, wherein the application is informed of a synchronization result if the synchronization result was requested in the command.

8. (Currently Amended) The method according to claim [[1]] 10, wherein the command is a card application toolkit command.

9. (Canceled).

10. (New) A computer-implemented method for synchronizing, through a network, a first database that is stored in a mobile first data processing system or in a security token coupled for communication with the mobile first data processing system, and a second database stored in a second data processing system, the method comprising:

loading an application into the security token coupled to the mobile first data processing system, the application being operable to request that the mobile first data processing system start a synchronization process of the first database with the second database according to a synchronization policy;

executing the loaded application in the security token;

receiving, by the application, messages or events that occur in the mobile first data processing system or in the network;

in response to the messages or events received and in accordance with the synchronization policy, concluding or not by the application, whether a synchronization of the first and second databases is needed, and

if a synchronization is needed, transmitting, by the application, a command to the mobile first data processing system that informs the mobile first data processing system that a new synchronization is requested, said command providing the mobile first data processing system with information about synchronization parameters for use in synchronizing content of the first and second databases; and

initiating, by the mobile first data processing system, the synchronization process of the first and second databases in response to receiving the command.

11. (New) The method according to claim 10, wherein the mobile first data processing equipment executes a program operable to receive all of the synchronization parameters and to start the synchronization process.

12. (New) A computer-implemented method for synchronizing, through a network, a first database that is stored in a mobile first data processing system or in a security token coupled for communication with the mobile first data processing system, and a second database stored in a second data processing system, the method comprising:

loading an application into the security token coupled to the mobile first data processing system, the application being operable to request that the mobile first data processing system start a synchronization process of the first database with the second database according to a synchronization policy;

executing the loaded application in the security token;

receiving, by the application, messages or events that occur in the mobile first data processing system or in the network;

in response to the messages or events received and in accordance with the synchronization policy, concluding or not by the application, whether a synchronization of the first and second databases is needed, and

if a synchronization is needed, transmitting, by the application, a command to the mobile first data processing system that informs the mobile first data processing system that a new synchronization is requested, said command providing the mobile first data processing system with synchronization parameters for use in synchronizing content of the first and second databases; and

initiating, by the mobile first data processing system, the synchronization process of the first and second databases in response to receiving the command.